

Amendment No. 1 to SB0674

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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 674\***

**House Bill No. 1315**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-10-217, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

( ) A collaborative pharmacy practice agreement may include the provision of weight management services, including management of anti-obesity medications and authorization to refer enrollees who meet criteria specified in the agreement to:

- (1) A licensed dietitian, licensed nutritionist, or other licensed healthcare professional who is authorized to practice nutrition in this state;
- (2) Evidence-informed exercise programs; or
- (3) Other medically necessary services related to weight management.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

The bureau of TennCare shall make available, or cause to be made available, anti-obesity medication to a recipient, regardless of the recipient's age, if anti-obesity medication is medically necessary pursuant to § 71-5-144.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.